



THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

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Title:

N-LINKED SULFONAMIDES OF N-HETEROCYCLIC CARBOXYLIC ACIDS

OR CARBOXYLIC ACID ISOSTERES

Appl. No.:

10/601,607

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Examiner:

Celia C. CHANG

Art Unit:

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TRANSMITTAL OF NOTICE OF APPEAL AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [X] Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a previous assertion of Small Entity status.
- [X] Notice Of Appeal From The Examiner To The Board Of Patent Appeals And Interferences (2 pgs).
- [X] No fee is required for additional claims as calculated below:

	Claims As Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	7	-	20	=	0	х	\$50.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	3	-	4	=	0	x	\$200.00	=	\$0.00
Fi	irst presentati	on o	f any Multiple	Depe	endent Claims:	+	\$360.00	=	\$0.00
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Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for the total [X] number of months checked below:

[] Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$120.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the second month:	\$450.00	\$0.00
[X] Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$1,020.00	\$1,020.00
[] Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,590.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	\$2,160.00	\$0.00
EXTENSION FEI	E TOTAL:	\$1,020.00
[X] Notice of Appeal Fee	\$500.00	\$500.00
CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND NOTICE OF APPEAL FEE	S TOTAL	\$1,520.00
[X] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½	of above):	\$760.00
ТО	TAL FEE:	\$760.00

- [X] A check in the amount of \$760.00 enclosed.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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Respectfully submitted,

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